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ETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of Hastings et al.		_
Application Number 09/777,108	Filed	February 5, 2001

Art Unit Examiner 3743 Kathryn P. Ferko

For Magnetically Guided Atherectomy

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

ш	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$
	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$

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\boxtimes	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ <u>950</u>

	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$	·
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Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	_

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The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this
application to a Deposit Account.

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	or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>08-0750</u> .

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

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Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

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